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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 3 to 7.

Part B for July, 46.

SUBJECT.

T. A. to Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, Architectural Scholar undergoing training in Bombay.

Serial 7. No. 250-4. Q. 7.7.46.

Grant actual travelling allowance in each case on the countersignature of the Consulting architect plus a daily allowance Re 1 per day.

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FILE HEADING.

Architectural Scholarship.

From

The Consulting Architect to the Govt of Bombay

No. 549 Dated 18. 4. 16 Received

Diary No. 4063	Enclos. 1	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards for favorable consideration Mr. B. Venkoba Rao's application for permission to make tours for ~~stop~~ studying old building and for the grant of travelling allce.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Mr. B. Venkoba Rao is a Mysore state scholar, holding a scholarship of Rs 100 per mensem tenable up to the 1st June 1919, for undergoing training in Architecture under the Consulting Architect of the Govt of Bombay.

Vide No. 2843-47 + No. Edn 161-13-B 2567-71 & 15.2.15 and Edn. 57-15-2 3.12.15 respectively

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2. The course of his training comprises attendance of lectures in the Sir J. J. School of Arts, Bombay, in the mornings, of the office of the Consulting Architect in the afternoons.

3. Mr. Venkoba Rao represents that as the school of Arts will be closed for vacations for 11 weeks in the year, he may be permitted to tour during this period with a view to visit and sketch & make a detailed study of one or two typical buildings of different styles, like other State scholars, and for this purpose requests the grant of the following rates of T. A.:-

Railway fare . . .	Single II class.
Mileage . . .	4 as per mile.
Luggage charges . . .	Actual expenses.
Daily allce - .	8 as per day for halts outside H.Q. Qrs.

4. The Consulting Chief Architect recommends the applⁿ and says that a thorough study of old buildings is an essential part of the training of an Architect & Archæologist.

5. Subd with a draft sanctioning, for approval & other orders. As the proposal involves addl expr Branch II will have to be consulted. -

Sd 28/4/16 6. The source from which the addl. expenditure proposed is to be met has to be obtained from the J. G. of Edn.

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7. An ad-interim reply may be made to the Dy. & the file referred to Br II. 29/4

8. Draft to the D.I. of Edn. is subd.

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~~10. This case may now be seen~~

4 To the D.I. of Education. No. 6388 & 4-5-16

Requests his opinion on the prayer contained in Sl 3, and also that the source from which the allce if sanctioned may be met, may be indicated.

10. The file may now be sent to Br II as directed in para 7 above.

Rec'd at 4.35 P.M. 8/11/15

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Subd. 8/5/16. 12) He wants to see and study one or two typical buildings of each kind - the information re places which he proposes to visit and the amount of fee payable under the proposed scale may be ascertained and furnished - ~~It will~~ This will facilitate the consideration of the subject-

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13) Please draft for [illegible] 1/5

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	15. Revised draft subd.
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5	To Mr. B. Venkoba Rao. No 6769 dt 17. 5-16.
	With refce to his petn (sl 3) enquires what places he proposes to visit and what amount of travelling allce will be necessary.
6	From the Dy of Edn No. 23543/1017 dt 24. 5-16
	With refce to sl(4), states that Mr Venkoba Rao is unable to give any definite info at present and that he may therefore be informed that in the beginning of each year of his course he may prepare a programme of tour for that year and only undertake the journey after sanction has been accorded to the programme and adds that no money is required for the purpose for the current off year as he is not visiting any of the places but that a lump sum provision of Rs 200/- may be ordered to be made in the budget of the next off year.
7	From Mr. B. Venkoba Rao. dt 24. 5-16.
	Furnishes the information called for in Sl 5 above. In the copy of Mr Venkoba Rao's letter sent with Sl 6 by the Dy of Edn, as well as in the above, he Mr V. Rao gives a list of places in N. India + in Mysore to be visited, that he will make the journeys after consulting the Consulting Architect, and that a lump provision of Rs 300 a year will

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be sufficient. He further requests that in modification of his original request to be granted a daily allce of 8 as per day, he may be given at the usual rate 3/10 ths of his pay ~~of~~ Rs 100. viz Re one per day. The D. G of Edn does not say anything in this connection but proposes that a sum of Rs 200 may be provided for the purpose in the ensuing year's budget.

18) Subd with refce to paragraph 12 above.

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20) Subd with refce to para 12 above.

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21) An authorised programme, when it is received from the ~~Govt~~ D.G. may be considered as suggested by the D.G.

22) There is no financial objection to a dia. ~~of 2~~ equal to 3/10 ths as being given x

23) No extra provision can be made in the Budget for 16-17 at this stage -

Hy 24/6

Br VI

Subd with draft as revised

24) Put up hdy draft as revised

25 Hdy draft subd 9A 24/6/16 Br 27/6/16

26) Draft approved

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29) I am to say that your proposal in such cases will be as follows:-

The Scholar will be paid actual travelling allowance in each case on the basis of the cheapest class by rail and by all R. I. Steamer. No annual allowance be made. Each journey, the pupil should be asked for each - as the cost of the training is not included in the ordinary allowances of Khalasis.

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30) Note. There has been much leaning which today in this file.

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29) Put up draft

30) Revised draft subs.

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7.	To the Lg. of Edn. Offr. in charge of the Archl. Researches. " " Comptroller. Chief Engineer of Mysore. " " Secretary General Department. no. 250-4. 9.7.916. Allows actual T.a. in each case on the countersignature of the Consulting Architect plus a daily allowance of Re.1. per day.

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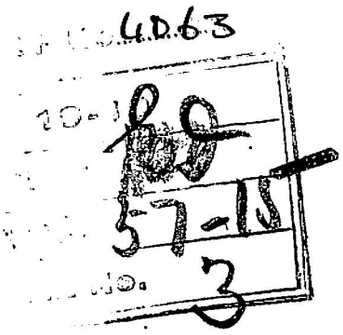

No. 549 of 1916.

Consulting Architect's Office,

Bombay, 18th April 1916.

Forwarded with compliments for favourable consideration. The thorough study of old buildings is an essential part of the training of an architect or archaeologist. Mr. Rao is a diligent and intelligent student making good progress and it is to be hoped the Government of Mysore will assist him in this branch of study.

F:R.I.B.A.,

Consulting Architect to

Government.

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To.

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Departments of Education and Agriculture,

BANGALORE.

(Through the Consulting Architect to the Government of Bombay.)

Sir,

With reference to the Government Order No. 2843-47 / Edu. 161-13-8 dated 15th February 1915, deputing me here to undergo training in Architecture in the Office of the Consulting Architect to the Government of Bombay, I beg to state as follows:-

2. My training at present consists in attending the courses of lectures in the School of Art in the morning and attending the office in the afternoon. I have been applying myself diligently to my studies and I hope to give a good account of myself at the end of my training.

3. As a man intended for work in the Archaeological Department, I am expected to make a detail study of Indian Architecture and more particularly of Chalukyan Architecture as most of the temples in the State belong to this style and also as the Government are contemplating to publish a monograph on this style of architecture in the State. To do so, one or two typical buildings in every kind of style require to be visited and studied by actual measurement.

4. I therefore desire to avail myself of the School of Art vacations in visiting some one or other places of architec-

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interest in India and study it minutely. There will be two vacations in a year; one for about 7 weeks in the months of April, May and June, and the second, for 4 weeks in October and November.

5. Such tours are included in the course of training prescribed in the case of the State Technical Scholars in Architecture in the Bombay Presidency and they are allowed to visit places at the expense of Government.

6. I therefore beg that the Government be pleased to allow me to make such tours during the School of Art vacations and to grant travelling allowances at the following rates:-

Railway fare...	...	... Single II Class,
Mileage. ...	...	... Four annas per mile,
Luggage charges	...	... Actual expenses,
Daily allowance	...	... Eight annas per day for halts outside Head quarters.

These tours entail much additional expenditure as I will have to maintain my lodgings in Bombay in addition to incurring my travelling expenses and the rates above mentioned are moderate and necessary.

7. Hoping that the Government will be pleased to sanction my prayer,

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B. Venkoba Rao.

Mysore Government Scholar in Architecture.

Bombay.

17th April 1916.

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Diary No. of letter replied to 4063

No. 6388/E1.

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To

The Dy. of Education.

Date of issue 4-5-16.

Signed by Mr. K. Subba Rau

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith copy of petition dated the 17th April 1916, of Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, Mysore Govt Scholar in Architecture, Bombay, requesting the grant of travelling allce to enable him to perform tours for making a detailed study of old buildings, and to request the favour of your opinion in the matter. The Diarist from which the allowance if sanctioned may be met may also be intimated.

2. Copy of Endorsement

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No. 549 dated the 18th April 1916, from the Consulting Architect to the Govt of Bombay, which gives cover to the above petition is also herewith forwarded.

3. The matter may be treated as urgent and a reply kindly furnished as early as possible.

I have &c,

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Ecl & Depts

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Diary No. 1515 of letter replied to 4063

No. 6769.

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To

Mr. Bankapur Venkoba Rao, B.A.,

Govt Architectural Scholar,

Bandar Street, Basavangudi Extn, Bangalore

Date of issue 17-5-16

Signed by Sri K. Subba Rao

Sir,

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With refce to your petition dated the 17th April 1916, forwarded through the Consulting Architect to the Govt of Bombay, requesting the grant of travelling allces to enable you to perform tours for making a detailed study of old buildings, I am directed to enquire what places you propose to visit and what amount of travelling allces will be

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necessary at the rates proposed by you.

A very early reply is requested. I have &c.

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For the Secretary of State
& Under Secy

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE.

No. 23543 ----- Enc. 1 / 1017

Bangalore, 20th May *1916.*

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From

RAO BAHADUR M. SHAMA RAO, ESQ., M.A.,
Inspector-General of Education in Mysore.

To

P.G. D'Souza, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Departments of Education & Agriculture,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.6388/Edn.57-15-4 dated - 4th May 1916 forwarding a petition from Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, Mysore Government Scholar for Architecture in Bombay, requesting the - - grant of travelling allowance to enable him to perform tours for making a detailed study of old buildings, and calling for my opinion in the matter, I have the honour to enclose, for the information of Government, copy of letter dated 16th May 1916 from Mr. Venkoba Rao, in reply to my enquiry as to how many journeys he - intended to perform and what amount he was likely to require. Mr. Venkoba Rao is unable to give any definite information at present and he may therefore be informed that in the beginning of each - year of his course, he may prepare a programme of tour for that year and only undertake the journey after sanction has been accorded to the programme.

As regards the cost, no money is required for the current official year, as he says that he is not visiting any of the places. For the next official year, a lumpsum provision of Rs. 200/- may be ordered to be made in the budget for the purpose.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. Shama Rao.

INSPECTOR GENERAL

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Letter dated 16th May 1916 from Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, Mysore Government Architectural Scholar, to the Inspector General of Education in Mysore.

With reference to your D.O. letter No.1469 dated the 9th May 1916, I beg to state as follows:-

In Northern India, the following places are usually visited by every Architectural scholar and I also have to visit all these during the next three years.-

Ahmedabad, Dholka, Champanir and Bijapur (in the Bombay Presidency)

Agra, Fatehpur Sikhri, Jaipur, Mount Abu & Delhi (Outside the Bombay Presidency).

As regards places to be visited within the Mysore Province, I consulted Rao Bahadur Praktana Vimarsa Vichakshana Mr. R.Narasimhachar, M.A., Officer in charge of Archaeological Researches in Mysore. He is of opinion that the following six places contain typical buildings of architectural interest and are fit to be visited first.-

Belur, Halebid & Arsikere	(In the Hassan District)
Tarikere (Amritapura)	(in the Kadur District.)
Harihar	(in the Chitaldrug District)
Somanathapur.. ...	(in the Mysore District)

Of these, the places to be visited on each occasion will have to be decided from time to time having regard to the conditions of climate then prevailing in those places and the time within which the journey will have to be completed. Every such journey will have to be made in consultation with the Consulting Architect to the Government of Bombay under whom I am working and with his approval.

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It is not therefore, possible to state in what order the places mentioned above will be visited by me. For the same reason it is not also possible to state definitely what amount will be required every year for my journeys. A lumpsum provision of Rs.300 per year will, perhaps, be sufficient.

As regards the amount to be provided in the next official year, viz., 1916-17, only half the above sum, viz., Rs.150 will suffice as I can do only one journey in May next. Mr. G.Wittet Consulting Architect, under whom I am working, has gone on six - months' leave and will be returning only in November. I cannot therefore, undertake any journey in the coming October without his consent.

In this connection I beg to state that through a mistake in calculation I have asked only 8 annas as Daily allowance in my - application to Government which is quite inadequate to meet my expenses. I request that the Inspector General may be pleased to recommend to Government that I may be granted the Daily allowance at the usual rate, viz., 5/10ths of Rs.100, i.e., one rupee per - day, instead of 8 annas as put down in my original application.

"C o p y"

Inspector General.

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To.

The Secretary to Government,

Departments of Education and Agriculture,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to letter No. 6769 Ed. 57-15-5 dated the 17th May 1916 from the Government regarding my tours in the Northern India to study old buildings, I beg to state as follows:-

In Northern India, the following places are usually visited by every Architectural scholar and I also have to visit all these during the next three years.

Ahmedabad, Dholka, Champanir & Bijapur (in the Bombay Presidency)

Agra, Fatehpur Sikhri, Jaipur, Mount Abu & Delhi (outside the Bombay Presidency)

2. As regards places to be visited within the Mysore Province, I consulted Rao Bahadur, Praktanavimarsa Vichakshana Mr. R.Narasimhachar, M.A., Officer in charge of Archaeological Researches in Mysore. He is of opinion that the following six places contain typical buildings of architectural interest and are fit to be visited first.

Belur, Halebid & Arsikere (in the Hassan district)

Tarikere (Amritapura) (in the Kadur district)

Harihar. ... ... (in the Chitaldrug district)

Somnathpur. ... ... (in the Mysore district)

3. Of these, the places to be visited on each occasion will have to be decided from time to time having regard to the conditions of climate then prevailing in those places and the time I will have then at my disposal for the tour. Every such journey will have to be made in consultation with the Consulting Architect to the Government of Bombay under whom I am working and with his approval.

4. It is not, therefore, possible to state in what order the places mentioned above will be visited by me. For the same reason, it is not also possible to state definitely what amount will be required every year for my journeys. A lumpsum provision of Rs 300 per year will, perhaps, be sufficient.

5. In this connection, I beg to state that, through a mistake in calculation, I have asked only 8 annas as Daily allowance in my application to Government which is quite inadequate to enable me to undertake such long and tedious journeys. I therefore pray that the Government may be graciously pleased to sanction me the daily allowance at the usual rate, viz., 3/10ths of Rs 100 i,e, One Rupee per day, instead of 8 annas as put down in my original application.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P. Venkoba Rao

24th May 1916.

Mysore Government Architectural Scholar

Re. T.A. to Mr. B. Venkoba Rao Architectural Scholar undergoing training in Bombay.

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Serial No. 7

Diary No. of letter replied to 4068

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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READ—

G.O. No. 2843-47 & the 15th Feb. 1915, Edn. 161-13-12

sanctioning the grant of a scholarship of Rs 75 per mensem for 4 years with effect from 1st June 1915, to Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, for undergoing training in Architecture in Bombay.

Date of issue 7-7-16.

Signed by Mr. K Subba Rao

~~ORDER THEREON.—No.~~

(2) G.O. No. 2567-71 dated Edn. 57-15-2 the 3rd December 1915, sanctioning, among other things, the enhancement of the Scholarship of Mr. Venkoba Rao to Rs 100/- per mensem.

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(3) Endorsement No. 549 & the 18th April 1916

over.

SUBJECT.

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from the Consulting Architect to the Govt. of Bombay, forwarding for favourable consideration, petition of the 17th idem of Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, soliciting the grant of travelling allowances to enable him to visit and make a detailed study of old buildings during the vacation.

(4) Cont^ce ending with letter No. 23543/1017, of the 20th May 1916, from the Inspector General of Education, on the same subject.

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Order:— No. 250-4.

The Scholar will be given actual travelling allowance in each case on the countersignature of the Consulting Architect — plus a daily allowance of Re 1 per day. No annual allotment will be made. For each journey, the sanction of Govt should be applied for, as this part of the training was not included in the original order and involves extra expenditure.

By order,
Asst Secretary to Govt,
E & A Dept.

To The D. G. of Education.
" Dr. in ch: of Archl Researches.
" Comptroller, Mysore Govt, two Nos.
" Chief Engineer of Ally sore.
" Secretary to Govt., General Dept.
" Consulting Architect to Govt of Bombay, two Nos.
Copy of this above is forwarded with compliments to the Hon'ble the Resident.

Memo No. Real 3907-16